

ment for violating school discipline.

The school board took up the question in a series of daily secret meetings, but compromised temporarily while investigating, by relieving the principal from conducting classes and allowing the strikers to return to school as usual.

The girl's father, aggrieved by failure to get instant settlement of the trouble, threatens suit for slander both in the criminal and civil courts.

The trouble started when Principal Jack ordered the girl to go home and

comb her hair. He declared she dressed her body and her hair to entice the boys of the school. She went home in tears.

The strikers were the leaders in the school, including the captains of the football and baseball teams and the head of the school debating society.

If the principal does not offer an apology he will be made the defendant in the courts, is the ultimatum of the strikers and the girl's father as well.

## SHOULD A GIRL WHO WORKS ACCEPT THE ATTENTIONS OF HER EMPLOYER?

BY IDAH M'GLONE GIBSON

Dear Mrs. Gibson — I have smiled and raged alternately at the letters from the girls who have run up against such terrible things in business offices of our city.

Some of them seem to have been written by girls whose egotism has run away with their common sense. Is it possible that a girl dreams for one moment that, because a man is polite to her and invites her to luncheon he may possibly continue the business conversation that was begun at the typewriter, he will care for her as a social companion?

I believe that a business girl should be a good "fellow" and accept an occasional invitation to luncheon as would a man in the same position.

Ever since I have been a typist I have done this and I want to say that I have never received any undue familiarity from any employer that I have had.

On the contrary, many of them have confided in me their romantic attachments for girls in their own positions in society and I have sympathized with and advised them.

Don't be too egotistical, girls. The man who buys your ability as a stenographer or any other office worker is not always looking for trouble.—Plain Faced and Plain Spoken.

It has been my experience in many

years of business life that the plain-faced and plain-spoken girl is not so apt to have temptation thrown in her pathway as her prettier and more diplomatic sister. How about it?

## BRITISH COMMANDER HAS SEEN LONG SERVICE



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Admiral Madden, who is 52 years old, has been in the navy since boyhood.